



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

W.H. Raskind et al.

Attorney Docket No.: UWOTL121680

Application No.: 10/671,007

Art Unit: 1634 / Confirmation No.: 8123

Filed:

September 25, 2003

Examiner: Diana B. Johannsen

Title:

METHODS FOR IDENTIFYING SUBJECTS SUSCEPTIBLE TO ATAXIC

NEUROLOGICAL DISEASE

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER/PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Seattle, Washington 98101

August 14, 2006

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Amendment Transmittal A.

Transmitted herewith is a response to restriction requirement and preliminary amendment in the above-identified application.

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1. No additional claim fee is required, as shown below.

COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims		Highest						
	Remaining		Number						
	After		Previously		Present	•			Additional
	Amendment		Paid For		Extra		Rate		Fee
Total Claims	42	-	42	=	0	х	25	=	0
Independent Claims	4	-	4	=	0	X	100	=	0
	TOTAL		_						\$0

B. Petition for Extension of Time

Applicants respectfully request that the shortened statutory period for response to the outstanding Office Action dated June 30, 2006, set to expire on July 30, 2006, be extended by 1 months 1998 Pine An Addition 30, 2006. The enclosed check includes the 1-month extension fee of \$60e1 FC:2251 69.88 OP

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C.	Fees Enclosed	t

Enclosed is our Check No. in the amount of \$60 to cover the request for extension of time.

Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment D.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service in a sealed envelope as first-class mail with postage thereon fully prepaid and addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the below date.

August 14, 2006 Jeffrey Harbert

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed June 30, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows and please enter the following remarks.